



PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
February 25, 2011

Applicant(s): Jakob MAIER, Jr., et al
For : RETAINING DEVICE FOR TEAT CUPS AND ACTUATOR FOR
INCITING A MOVEMENT OF A TEAT CUP CLUSTER

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the
decision mailed October 25, 2010 of the Primary Examiner
finally rejecting Claims 80-112 and 124-130.

(Please see following page.)

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

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☐ \$540.00 (large entity).

☒ \$270.00 (small entity). Small entity status is claimed, see 37 CFR 1.27.

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